

Disabled American Veterans Department of Tennessee

Report to the United Tennessee Veterans Association

December 3, 2012

The following is the DAV NSO and HSC/DSO service activity summary report for the combined months of August, September and October, 2012:

I. Nashville NSO Office Summary:

A. Awards:

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	Number	Monthly	Retro & Annual
1. New Service Connections	1,015	\$ 556,776.00	\$ 13,478,401.00
2. Compensation Increases	685	483,979.00	10,425,998.00
3. Compensation Maintained	1,298	1,861,854.00	22,411,356.00
4. Pension	51	55,984.00	581,885.00
5. Pension Maintained	27	23,212.00	278,544.00
6. Educational Benefits	101	87,068.00	293,672.00
7. Miscellaneous – VA	113		95,649.00
8. Death Compensation	15	19,863.00	299,732.00
9. Special Entitlements	1	1,087.00	31,234.00
10. Death Pension	5	1,731.00	24,014.00
Award Totals:	3,311	\$ 3,091,554.00	\$ 47,920,485.00

B. Office Activities:

1. Files Reviewed	3,076
2. Power of Attorney's	1,233
3. Interviews	666
4. Rating Board Appearances:	
Informal	2,823
Formal	19
5. Appeals (VA Form 646, etc.)	118
6. New Claims	1,897
7. Notice of Death	20
8. Misc. Meetings Attended	<u>73</u>
Office Activities Total:	9,925

II. Department HSC/DSO/TRANSPORTATION Activity:

A. HSC/DSO Claims Filed (by State of Residence):

1.	Nashville	TN: 324 KY: 62 GA: 2 AR: 1 MS: 1 IL: 1
		TX: 1 CA: 1 Other: 5
2.	Mountain Home	TN: 238 KY: 6 VA: 17 NC: 2
3.	Knoxville	TN: 409 GA: 11 (Plus <u>185</u> EZ, 149's & 180's)
4.	Chattanooga	TN: 205 GA: 63 AL: 7
5.	Murfreesboro	TN: 181 GA: 10 AL: 3 KY: 3
6.	Memphis	TN: 696 MS: 328 AR: 203 MO: 38

B. Patient Transportation:

	Volunteer		
	Hours	Miles_	Vet's Transported
1. Nashville	1,779	22,161	528
2. Mountain Home *	N/A	N/A	N/A
3. Knoxville	1,385	16,209	283 **
4. Chattanooga	640	15,226	425
5. Murfreesboro	837	11,037	115
6. Memphis ***	3,063	52,915	1,827
Total:	7,704	117,548	3,178

^{*} Note1: Transportation is Not Available in or out of Mountain Home.

The statistics listed above are based on information provided by the Nashville NSO Office and the HSC/DSO offices across the state. The DAV Department of Tennessee is proud of the accomplishments of these dedicated individuals and the valuable services that they are providing for our fellow Tennessee veterans and their families.

Respectfully submitted by:

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^{**} Note2: Does not include 156 Vets scheduled by Knoxville DAV for AMVETS Van.

^{***} Note3: Memphis runs a fleet of 13 vans (6 TN, 3 AR and 4 MS).